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Maritime quarantine transactions at Manila, etc.—Continued.

Number of passengers inspected—		
Cabin	163
Steerage.....	326
Number of crew inspected	1,565

Respectfully,

J. C. PERRY,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,
Chief Quarantine Officer for the Philippine Islands.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Mortality of Iloilo during March, 1901.

MANILA, P. I., April 12, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following mortality statistics of Iloilo, P. I., for the month of March, 1901, extracted as follows, from Asst. Surg. L. D. Frick's report:

The following is the report of deaths in the city during the month of March—

Convulsions	15	Swamp fever.....	4
Acute catarrhal enteritis.....	3	Acute catarrhal bronchitis	1
Capillary bronchitis.....	3	Pulmonary tuberculosis.....	11
Asphyxia.....	1	Asphyxia neonatorum.....	1
Accidental.....	1	Colic.....	1
Dysentery.....	4	Beriberi.....	2
Metorrhagia.....	1	Acute meningitis.....	1
Myelitis.....	1	Chronic productive nephritis	1
Aortic insufficiency.....	1	Aneurism of the aorta.....	1
Endocarditis.....	1	Sarcoma of the jaw.....	1
Total deaths.....			55
Total births.....			64

Respectfully,

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Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,
Chief Quarantine Officer for the Philippine Islands.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

A case of plague in Cebu.

MANILA, P. I., April 15, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to state that 1 case of plague has occurred in Cebu, P. I., and the report of Asst. Surg. H. A. Stansfield is transmitted herewith for your information.

Respectfully,

J. C. PERRY,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,
Chief Quarantine Officer for the Philippine Islands.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

[Inclosure.]

CEBU, P. I., April 4, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to report the occurrence at this port of a case of bubonic plague. It occurred in a Filipino girl about 16 years of age and a resident of this town. She has not been away from here for several months. How she received the infection can not be determined. The case was reported to Major Surgeon Lippett, who has charge of the health department at this place, as a suspicious one. He invited me to see the patient with him, which I did, and found a typical case of plague, with a right femoral bubo. The girl was very sick when first seen and died the following day, having been sick four and one-half days. A complete post-mortem was not held, but the bubo was removed and found to present the pathological characteristics of a plague bubo. It